# CAPSS

### **Store User Guide**





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### **Overview**

#### Why CAPSS?

In accordance with AB391, which was passed on August 17, 2012, new procedures for California Pawnbrokers (PBs) and Secondhand Dealers (SHDs) when reporting property transactions to their Local Law Enforcement Agencies were established. PBs and SHDs will be required to use a single, statewide, electronic reporting system, which the California Department of Justice has developed and is known as the **California Pawn and Secondhand Dealer System** (CAPSS).

#### What is covered by this guide

This guide has been developed specifically for Store users and covers the following:

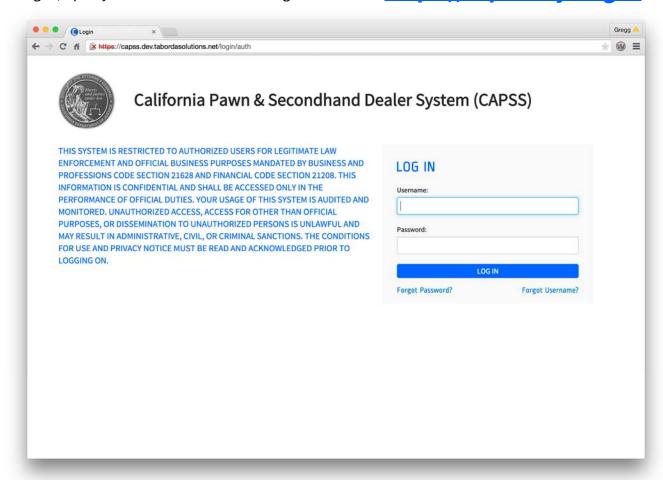
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- Managing other user profiles (Administrator feature)
- Submitting a JUS-123 property transaction report
- Submitting property transaction reports with the Bulk Upload feature
- Finding transaction reports
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# Logging In

#### **Browse to the CAPSS URL**

To log in, open your web browser and navigate to the url: <a href="https://capss.doj.ca.gov">https://capss.doj.ca.gov</a>

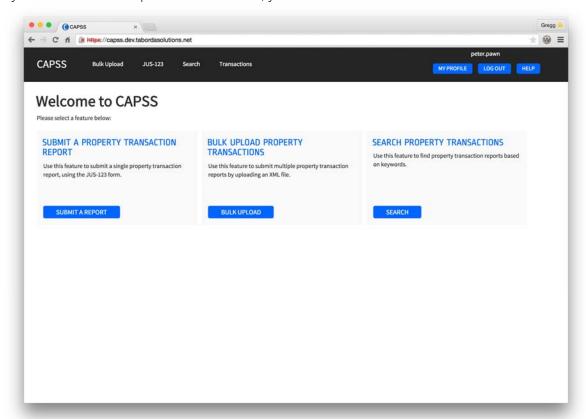




#### **Enter your credentials**

Enter your username and password, then click on the **LOG IN** button.

If your username and password are valid, you will see the main dashboard:



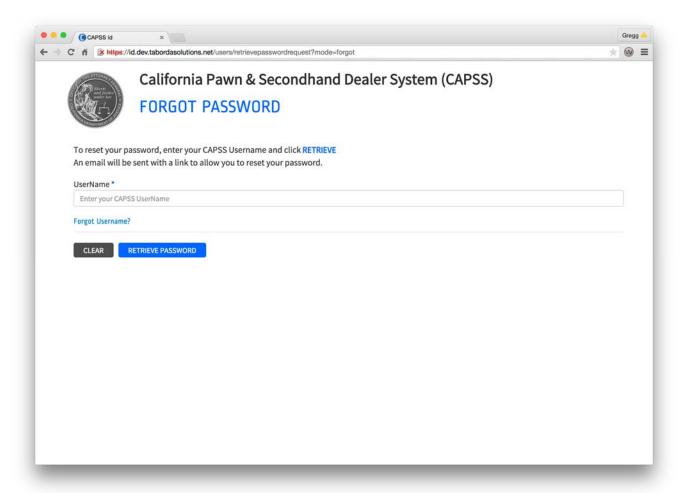
If your username and password are not valid, you will see an error message, and will need to re-enter your username and password.



#### Forgot your password?

If you cannot remember your password, or for some reason the one you have is not working, you can recover your password by clicking on the **FORGOT PASSWORD** link on the log in screen.

You will then be redirected to a screen where you will enter your CAPSS Username. After entering your username, click on the **RETRIEVE PASSWORD** button.

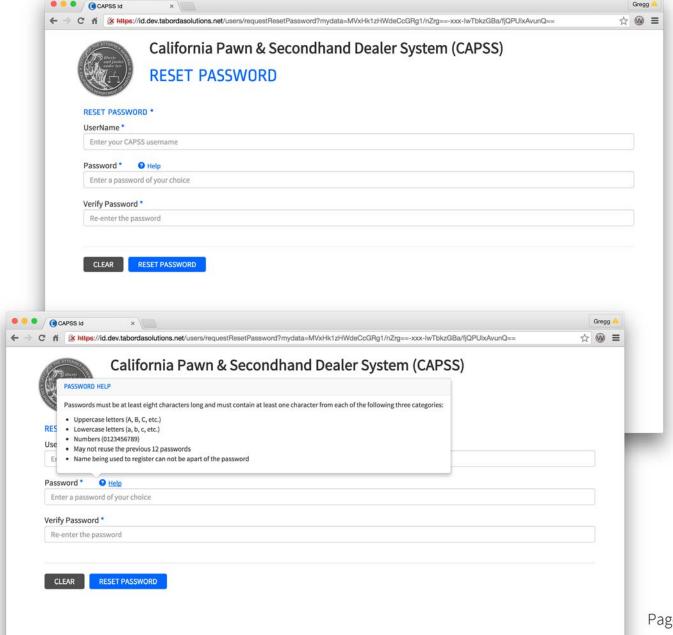




An email will be sent to the email account associated with your username.

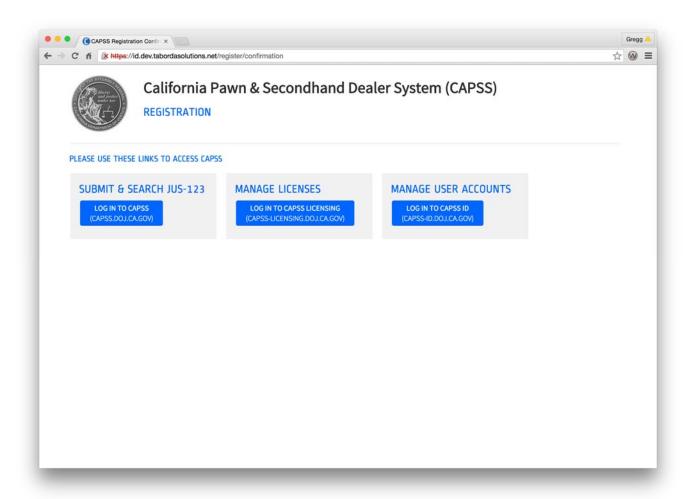
From: CAPSS Licensing To: peterpawn@pawnstore.com Subject: CAPSS Password Reset Date: Fri, 13 Mar 2015 10:26:34 -0700 You will be able to reset your password by entering your CAPSS Username on the page at the link below. NOTE: This link will only work for 2 hours after it was created. Password Set Link Thank You, **CAPSS Team** 

The link in the email will take you to the Reset Password screen. If you would like to see the password format requirements, click on the **Help** link:





Once your password has been successfully reset, you will be redirected to a screen with links to the various CAPSS components.

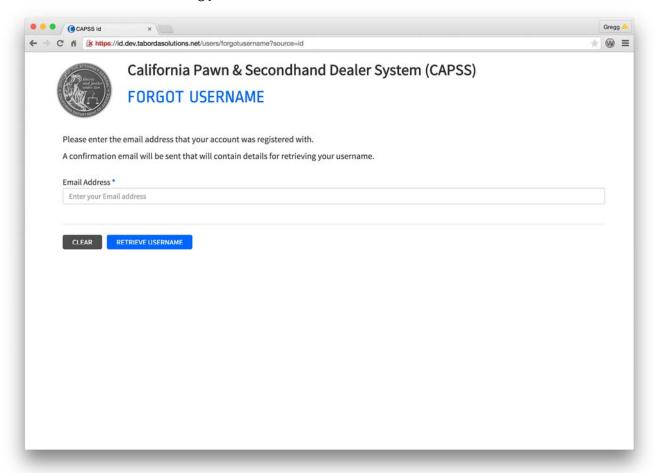




#### Forgot your username?

If you cannot remember your username, or for some reason the one you have is not working, you can recover your username by clicking on the **FORGOT USERNAME** link on the log in screen.

You will then be redirected to a screen where you will enter the email address associated with your CAPSS Username. After entering your email address, click on the **RETRIEVE USERNAME** button.



An email will be sent to the email account. The email will include the username.

From: CAPSS Licensing
To: peterpawn@pawnstore.com
Subject: CAPSS Username
Date: Fri, 13 Mar 2015 10:26:34 -0700

The email address you provided is associated with the following CAPSS
Usernames:

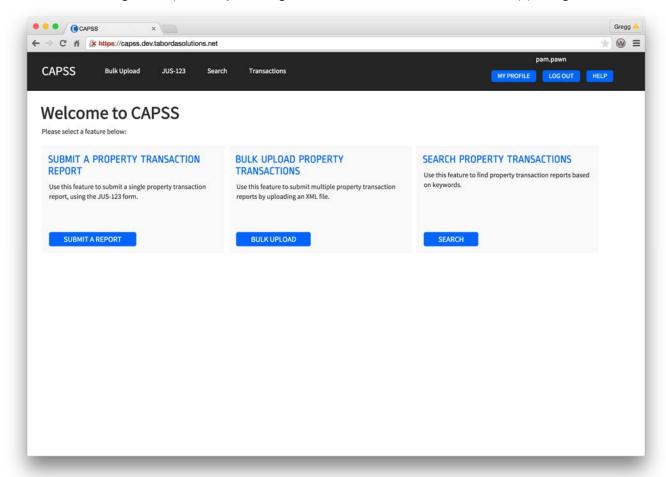
CAPSS Username: peter.pawn

You may log into the CAPSS system at:
https://capss.doj.ca.gov
Thank You,
CAPSS Team



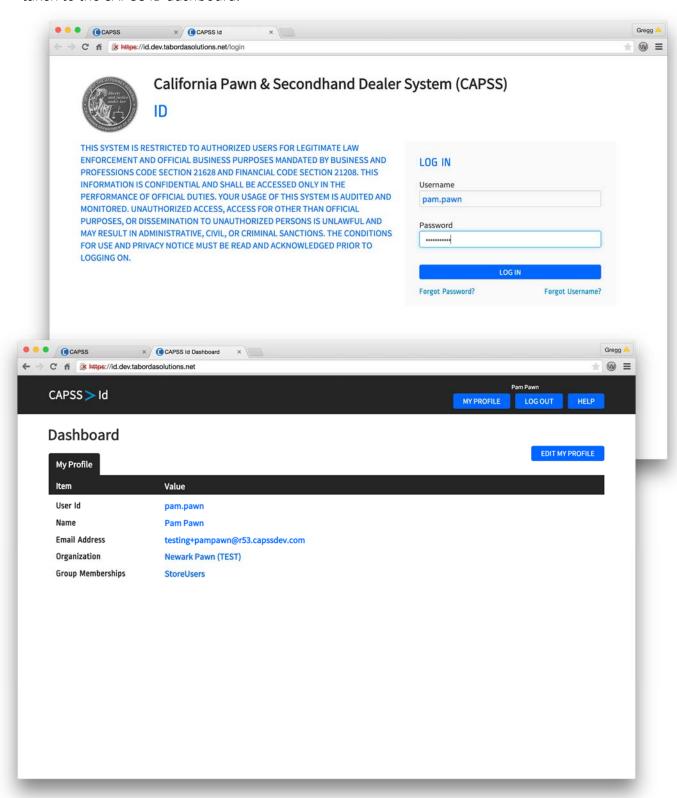
# Managing your profile

All users can manage their profile by clicking on the MY PROFILE button at the upper-right:



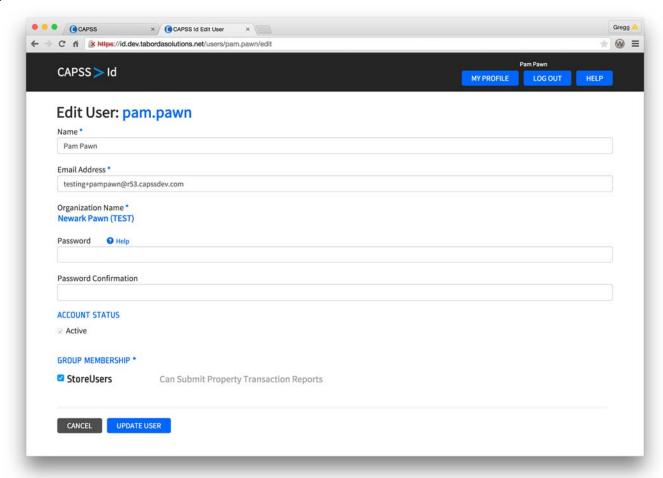


You will be taken to the CAPSS User Management tool (CAPSS ID) login screen (in a new browser tab). Log in to CAPSS ID using your same username and password. Once logged in to CAPSS ID, you will be taken to the CAPSS ID dashboard.





Click on the **EDIT MY PROFILE** button to change the various fields on your profile, including your password.

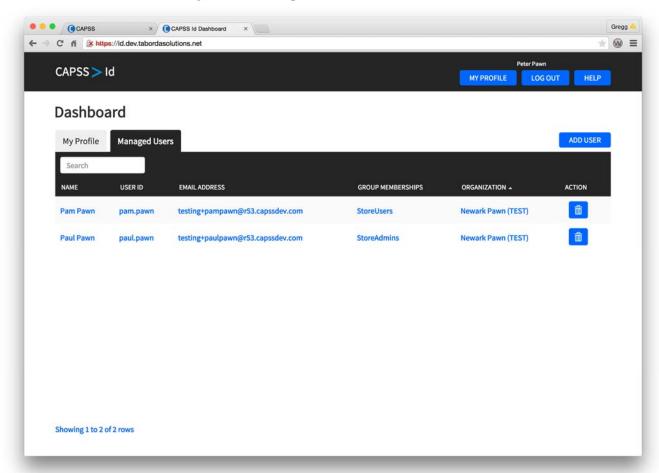




### **Managing Other User Profiles**

### (Administrator Feature)

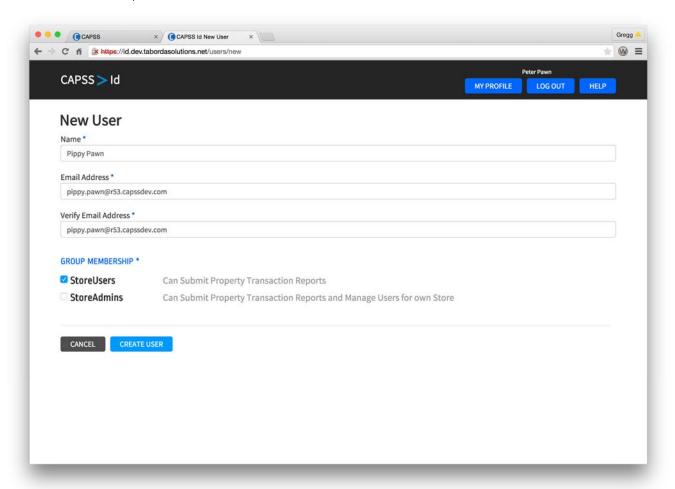
In addition to managing their own profile, Administrators can manage other store user profiles. Access the CAPSS User Management tool by clicking on the MY PROFILE button at the upper-right section of the screen. Administrators will get the **Managed Users** tab on the dashboard.





#### Adding a new user account

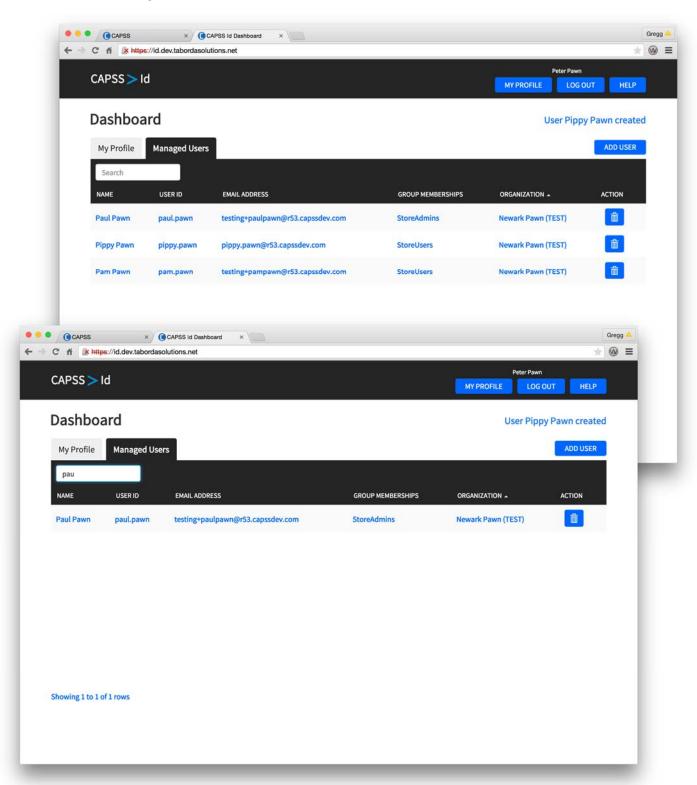
Click on the **ADD USER** button. You will then be able to enter the details for the new user account. When the details are complete, click the **ADD USER** button.





#### Finding a user account

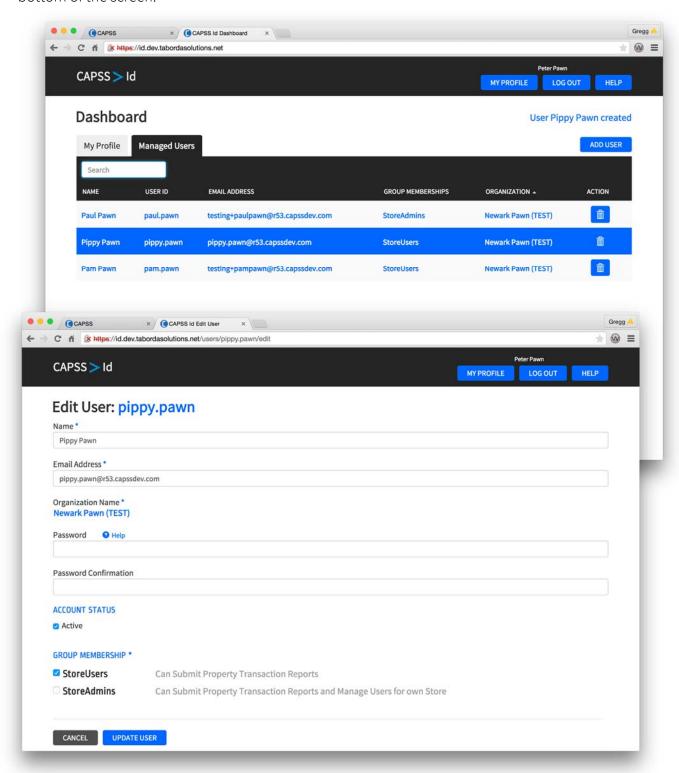
To narrow the list of users in the list, you can enter a portion of a username in the Search box. The list will dynamically change to reflect only those users with usernames that match the text you entered.





#### **Editing a user account**

Click on a user's row (it will be highlighted in blue as you hover over it). You will then be able to edit the details for the user account. When the details are complete, click the **UPDATE USER** button at the bottom of the screen.





#### **Deactivating a user account**

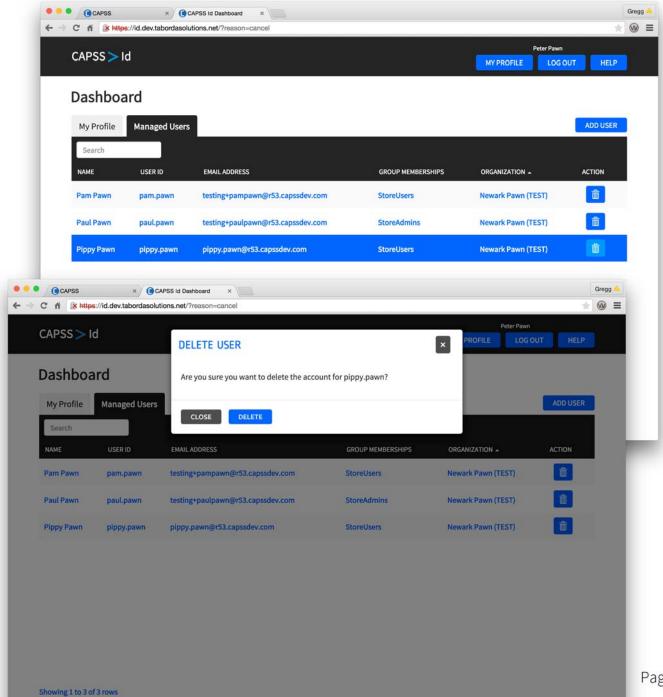
You can deactivate / activate accounts using the **Active** checkbox.

#### **Updating user roles**

You can update the role(s) (authorizations) a user has by checking/unchecking the checkboxes under **GROUP MEMBERSHIP**.

#### **Deleting a user account**

Click on the trash icon on a user's row (it will be highlighted in blue as you hover over it). You will then be prompted if you want to delete the account. To delete the account, click on the **DELETE** button. To cancel the deletion, click on the **CLOSE** button.

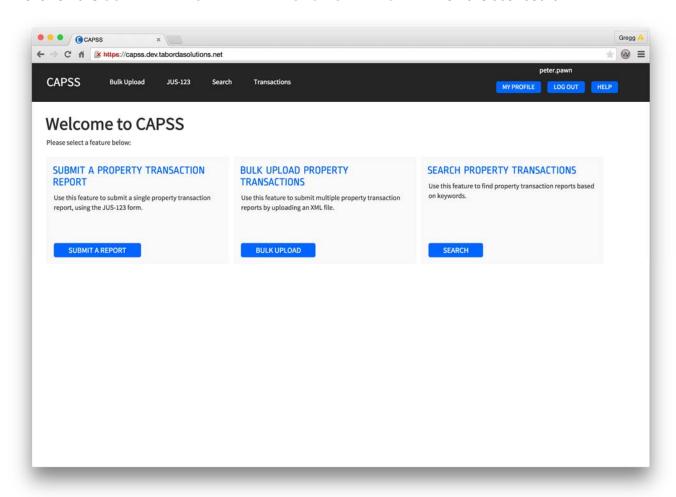




# **Submitting a JUS-123**

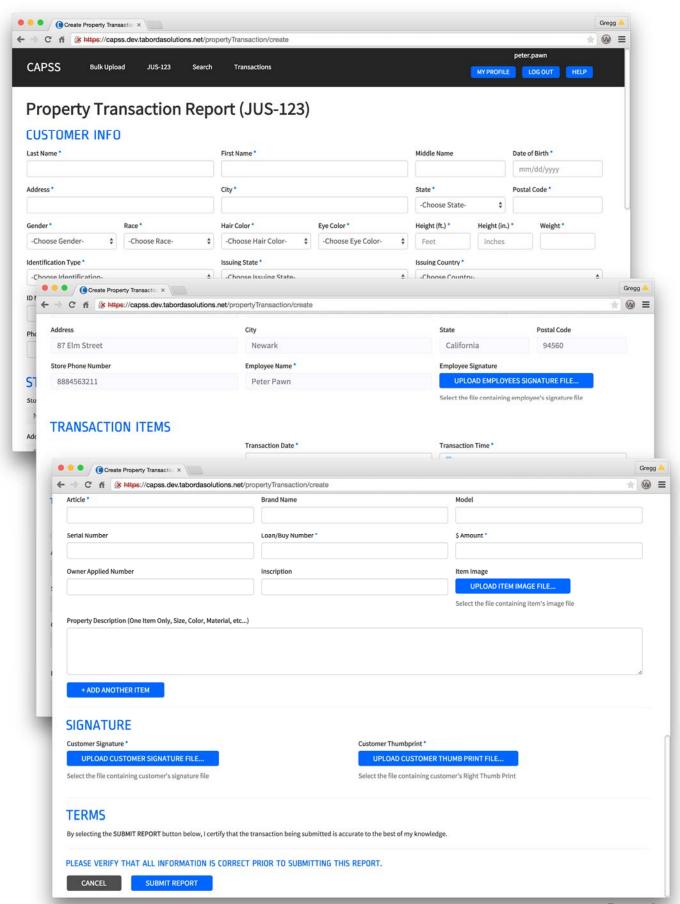
To submit a JUS-123, open the form by doing one of the following:

- Click on the JUS-123 link in the black Navigation bar at the top of the screen
- Click on the SUBMIT A PROPERTY TRANSACTION REPORT link on the dashboard



Enter all of the details on the form as appropriate. Note that all required fields are indicated with a blue asterisk\* next to the label.







#### **Uploading Signature and Thumbprint images**

In order to complete the JUS-123 form, you will need to upload Signature and Thumbprint images. To upload the images, the following buttons are displayed on the form:

**UPLOAD CUSTOMER THUMB PRINT FILE...** 

**UPLOAD CUSTOMER SIGNATURE FILE...** 

**UPLOAD EMPLOYEES SIGNATURE FILE...** (Optional)

**UPLOAD ITEM IMAGE FILE...** (Optional)

Once you click on one of the upload buttons, select the appropriate image file from your PC. The image files<sup>1</sup> should be captured using appropriate devices<sup>2</sup>.

IMPORTANT NOTE: DOJ recommends thumbprints and signatures not be retained, unless they are kept in an encrypted file system or some other secured method. This is necessary to ensure privacy and confidentiality.

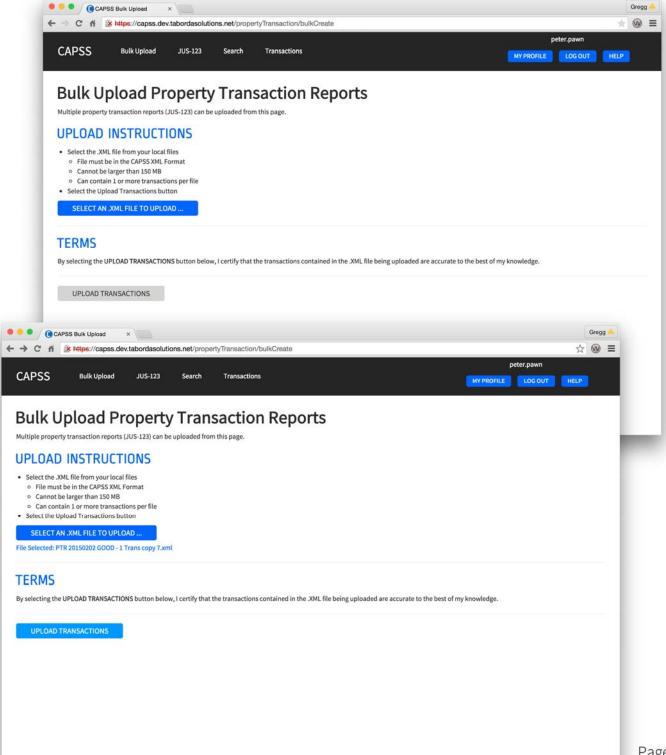
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Image files cannot be larger than 75k in size.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Devices must be capable of saving captured images as .jpg, (preferred), .png, or .gif.



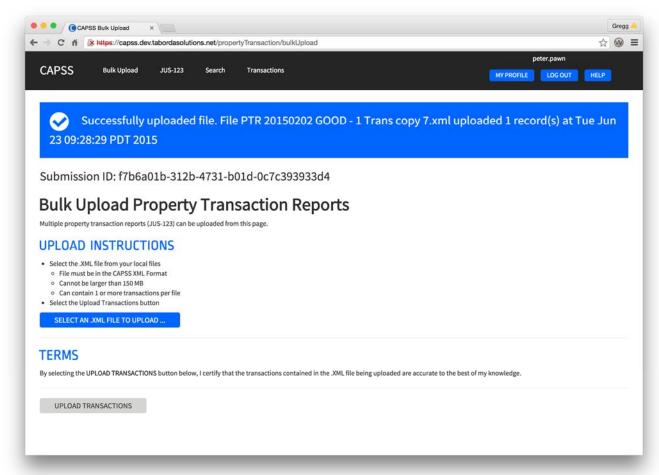
# **Submitting Bulk Uploads**

JUS-123 forms can be submitted in bulk using the Bulk Upload feature. Click on the **SELECT AN .XML FILE TO UPLOAD...** button. After an .XML file is selected, the **UPLOAD TRANSACTIONS** button will be enabled (changed from grey to blue). Next, click the **UPLOAD TRANSACTIONS** button to upload the XML file (See the CAPSS Data File Specification for format details)





After successful upload, you will see the following:

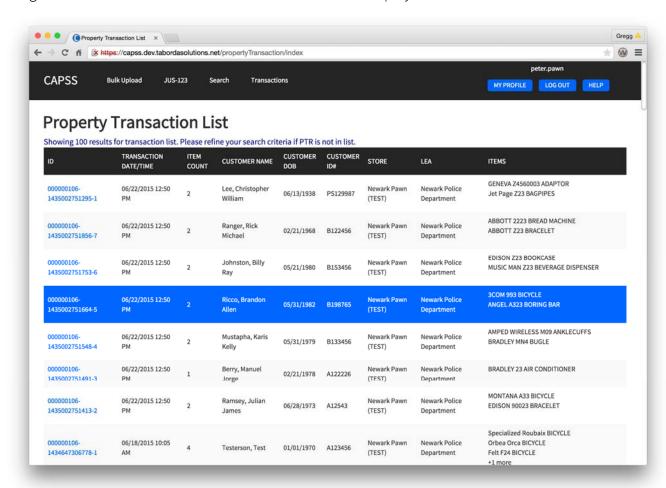




# **Finding Transactions**

#### **Recent Transactions**

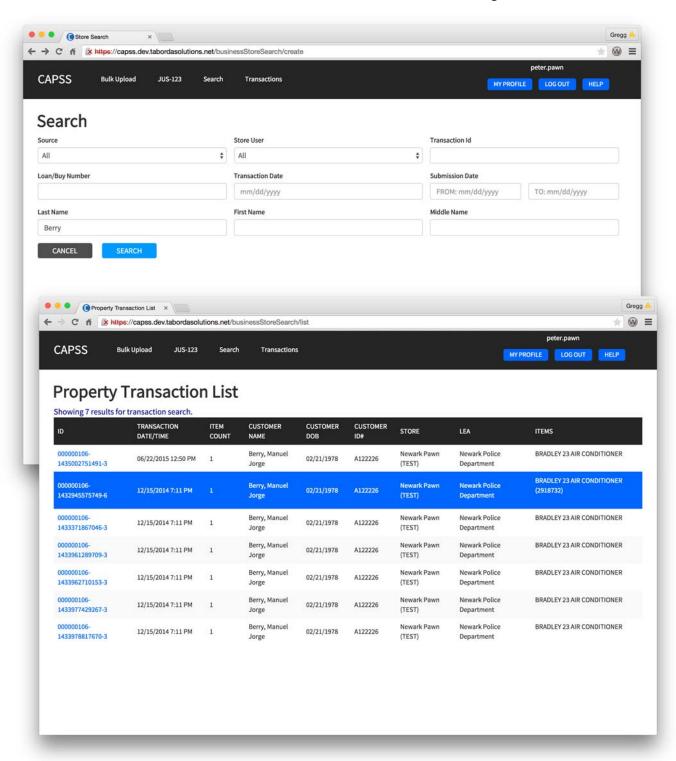
To find recent transactions you have submitted, click on the **Transactions** link at the top of the navigation bar. The most recent 100 transactions will be displayed.





#### **Searching for Transactions**

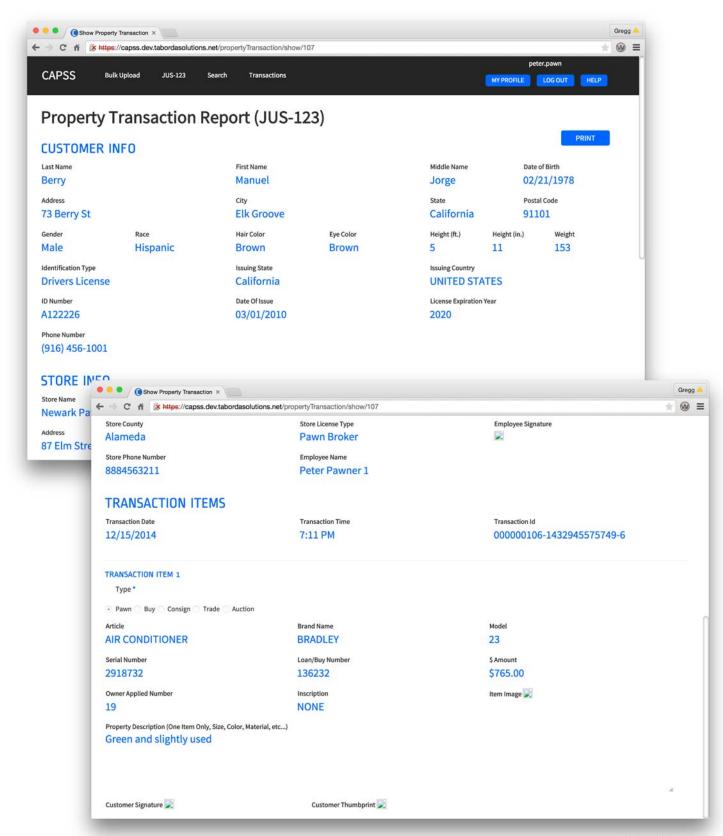
You can use the **Search for transactions** box to search for transactions using search criteria.





#### **Viewing a Transaction**

To view the details of a transaction, click on the transaction's row (the row will be highlighted in blue as you hover over it).





## **Contact information**

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Email: <a href="mailto:caps@doj.ca.gov">capss@doj.ca.gov</a>